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Sir: This is a request for filing a

- ☒ Continuation-in-part (CIP) application under 37 C.F.R. '1.53(b), of copending prior application Serial No. 08/946,036, filed on October 7, 1997 of Jonathan P. Krueger, Inventor for APPARATUS, METHODS, AND COMPUTER PROGRAM PRODUCTS FOR FILTERING INFORMATION
(title of invention)

1. ☐ A verified statement to establish Small Entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27
- ☐ is enclosed
- ☐ was filed in prior application Serial No. _____ and such status is still proper and desired (37 CFR 1.28(a)).

2. ☒ The filing fee is calculated below:

CLAIMS AS FILED, LESS ANY CLAIMS CANCELLED BY PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND/OR AMENDMENT BELOW

CLAIMS	(1) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	(5) CALCULATIONS
	TOTAL CLAIMS	18 - 20 =	0	X \$ 18 =	\$ 0
	INDEPENDENT	4 - 3 =	1	X \$ 78 =	\$ 78.00
	MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS			+ \$260 =	\$ 0
			BASIC FEE		\$ 690.00
			TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS=		\$ 768.00
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Recordation of Assignment				\$ 40.00
TOTAL					\$ 808.00

3. ☒ A check in the amount of \$ 808.00 is enclosed.

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4. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required for the papers being filed herewith, or credit any overpayment to Account No. 50-1467. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
5. Cancel Claims ____.
6. ☒ Drawing(s) are enclosed. (10 pgs)
7. ☐ Priority of the following foreign application(s) is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No.</u>	<u>Month/Day/Year</u>
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The certified copy(s) of the corresponding Convention Application(s):

- ☐ were filed in prior application Serial No. _____, filed _____.
- ☐ are being submitted herewith.
- ☐ will be submitted prior to payment of the Final Fee.
8. ☒ The prior application is assigned to: Sun Microsystems, Inc..
Recordation date 10/7/1997, Reel/Frame 8841/0643.
9. ☐ A Power of Attorney by Assignee is enclosed.
10. ☒ A Declaration and Power of Attorney is enclosed. (Executed) (3 pgs)
11. ☒ The Assignment and Recordation Cover Sheet is enclosed. (4 pgs)
12. ☒ Address all future communication to:

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10. ☐ Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
11. ☐ Also enclosed: _____

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Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this paper or fee is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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